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Appln. No. : 10/759,359
Filing Date : January 19, 2004
Confirmation No. : 9927
For : MOISTURE SENSOR AND WINDSHIELD FOG DETECTOR

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Dear Sir:

TRANSMITTAL OF SUBSTITUTE DECLARATION
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Enclosed is a Substitute Declaration and Power of Attorney for this application. This Substitute Declaration and Power of Attorney has been submitted to ensure that appropriate references are made in the Declaration to the applications upon which priority is claimed, particularly insofar as this application is a continuation-in-part of United States Patent Application No. 10/289,239 and the immediate parent application of which this application is a continuation (United States Patent Application No. 09/970,728) did not claim priority upon United States Patent Application No. 10/289,239.

Accordingly, Applicants submit that entry of this Substitute Declaration and Power of Attorney is appropriate.

Respectfully submitted,

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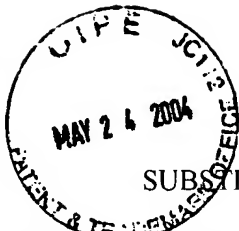
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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor, if only one name is listed below, or an original, first and joint inventor, if plural names are listed below, of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled MOISTURE SENSOR AND WINDSHIELD FOG DETECTOR, the specification of which was filed on January 19, 2004, and assigned Application No. 10/759,359.

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office (the Office), all information which is known by me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations (C.F.R.), Section 1.56.

CLAIM OF PRIORITY

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120, of any United States application(s), or § 365(c) of any PCT international application designating the United States of America, listed below and, insofar as the above-identified specification, including claims, discloses and claims subject matter in addition to that disclosed in the prior copending application(s), listed below, I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the Office, all information which is known by me to be material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

U.S. Serial No. 09/970,728, filed on October 4, 2001, now U.S. Patent No. 6,681,163; and

U.S. Serial No. 10/289,239, filed on November 6, 2002; which is a continuation of

U.S. Serial No. 09/878,799 filed on June 12, 2001; now U.S. Patent No. 6,495,815; which is a continuation of

U.S. Serial No. 09/592,896 filed on June 13, 2000, now U.S. Patent No. 6,262,410; which is a continuation of

U.S. Serial No. 09/347,093 filed July 2, 1999, now U.S. Patent No. 6,097,024; which is a continuation of

U.S. Serial No. 08/931,118, filed on September 16, 1997, now U.S. Patent No. 5,923,027.

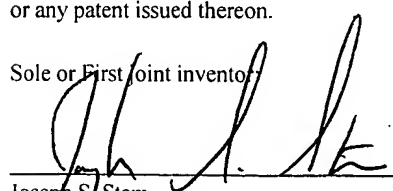
POWER OF ATTORNEY

I hereby appoint the practitioners associated with the Customer Number provided below (*i.e.*, the practitioners associated with Gentex Corporation and the law firm of Price, Heneveld, Cooper, DeWitt & Litton) to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith. Please direct all correspondence to the address associated with that Customer Number.

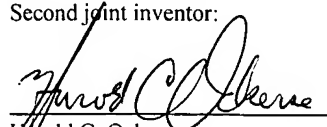
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